

REMARKS

Claims 8-18 remain in the instant application, while claims 1-7 and 19-20 have been cancelled. No new matter has been added by the present amendments.

In view of the foregoing comments and amendments, applicants kindly request reconsideration of the application. Applicants believe the case is now in condition for allowance and respectfully request the Examiner to pass the case to issue at an early date.

Respectfully submitted,


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